(c) and (d) 10 complaints about irregularities in the implementation of PMGSY in Assam have been reported. In 4 cases, National Quality Monitors (NQMs) were deputed for enquiry and their reports have been sent to the State Government for appropriate action. 6 complaints have been sent to the State Government for enquiry and appropriate action as per programme guidelines.

Provision of direct subsidy to farmers

†378. SHRIMATI SUSHMA SWARAJ: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that it is being proposed to provide 'Direct Subsidy' to farmers;

(b) if so, whether land records are being prepared for this purpose; and

(c) the details of procedure being adopted to provide 'Direct Subsidy' to the farmers?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI CHANDRA SEKHAR SAHU): (a) No Sir, there is no proposal to provide 'Direct Subsidy' to farmers.

(b) and (c) Question does not arise.

ARWSP in Rajasthan

379. DR. GYAN PRAKASH PILANIA: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme (ARWSP) in Rajasthan, is being undertaken with the assistance of Central Government;

(b) the details of such schemes as on today, category-wise and achievements thereof;

(c) the total revised estimates for the above schemes and total Central assistance as on today, category-wise;

(d) whether Rajasthan sought high allocation for completion of the schemes within three years; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI CHANDRA SEKHAR SAHU): (a) to (c) Yes Sir, the Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme (ARWSP) is a Centrally Sponsored Programme and is being implemented by Rajasthan. Funds are allocated to the States every year as per the inter-state allocation ratio fixed for the year. The States are competent to approve schemes in conformity with ARWSP Guidelines. Details of Proposals received and cleared by the States are not maintained by Government of India.

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